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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Neubauer, et al. )  
Patent No.: 7,121,992 )  
Issued: October 17, 2006 )  
Based on: U.S. Application No. 10/646,514 )  
For: Informational Item Forming Machine )  
and Method )

**NOTICE OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

On information and belief, small entity status was initially established in good faith and certain fees were paid as a small entity in good faith. However, through error, and without deceptive intent, the Patent Office was not notified of an apparent loss of entitlement to small entity status that may have occurred in February, 2006. Accordingly, pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.28(c) and out of an abundance of caution that the present patent may not qualify for small entity status at this time, Applicants provide this submission along with the following itemization and fee calculation.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized and directed to charge the amount of \$1,095.00 for the balance of deficiencies owed, which are calculated as itemized below, and any additional required fee, to Deposit Account No. 13-2855.

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**ITEMIZATION OF DEFICIENT FEES**

<u>Fee</u>	<u>Large Entity Fee Due</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Balance Due</u>
Request for Continued Examination	\$790.00	\$395.00	04/28/2006	\$395.00
Issue Fee	\$1,400.00	\$700.00	09/08/2006	\$700.00
		<b>Total =</b>		<b>\$1,095.00</b>

It is respectfully requested that all further notices in this patent reflect that the Applicants are properly classified as having large entity status, and that all further fees, including maintenance fees, be charged on the basis of large entity status, absent further notification from the Applicants of a change in status.

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Respectfully submitted,

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